

Crossfield Chronicle

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House-Warming Attended By Friends

CROSSFIELD.— On Wednesday evening, March 23, Mr. and Mrs. Char. Lee of the Home Cafe were "at home" to about a dozen of their Crossfield friends as well as a few of their close neighbors and friends of Calgary.

Mable and Charlie's new home at 636 19 Ave. N.E. is beautifully situated and was the admiration of all, with its spacious sitting room, beautifully furnished with two nylon chesterfield suites in harmonizing color schemes, and lovely Chinese embroidered panel pictures, attractively hung on the dark green walls. A small, but compact kitchen boasted everything in electrical appliances, even to an automatic dish and clothes washer. Two spacious bedrooms, newly furnished with great taste, a dining room and bathroom in yellow, completed the main floor. An inspection tour of the lower floor disclosed an attractive and fully equipped kitchen, shower room and three other rooms, which in all would comprise a large basement suite.

Those attending from Crossfield were: Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Charney, Mr. and Mrs. B. Lilley, Miss Helen Willis and Chas. Purvis. Owing to her recent illness, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sharp were unable to attend.

A very tasty buffet luncheon was served by Miss Ruby Lee, her cousin and friend. The guests thoroughly enjoyed the luncheon, which boasted many varieties of tempting dishes, including fried chicken and barbecued spareribs.

On behalf of their Crossfield friends, Mrs. Bert Lilley presented Mable and Charlie with a nice tablecloth, together with the warmest wishes for continued health and happiness in their lovely new home. The happy couple suitably responded and to show their appreciation immediately put the new gift to use.

Card games and a social evening followed and concluded with a tempting lunch around midnight.

Charlie and Mable will divide their time between Crossfield and Calgary.

Dog Pound News Briefs

Mrs. Hazel Hoffman and Dixie are away on a short visit to Kelowna B.C. Where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Don Parsons.

The Dog Pound Ladies Club. "The Blue Birds" met at the home of Mrs. Byrt, where they discussed their Pot Luck Supper, to be held the tenth day of April. The afternoon ended with a very tasty lunch enjoyed by all.

Hume Porteous and Jack Robertson, left Friday for the Edmonton Bull Sale where Mr. Porteous is taking three bulls.

The district was sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Herb Williamson, of Dundas, Ont., brother of Mr. Robert Williamson of Dog Pound.

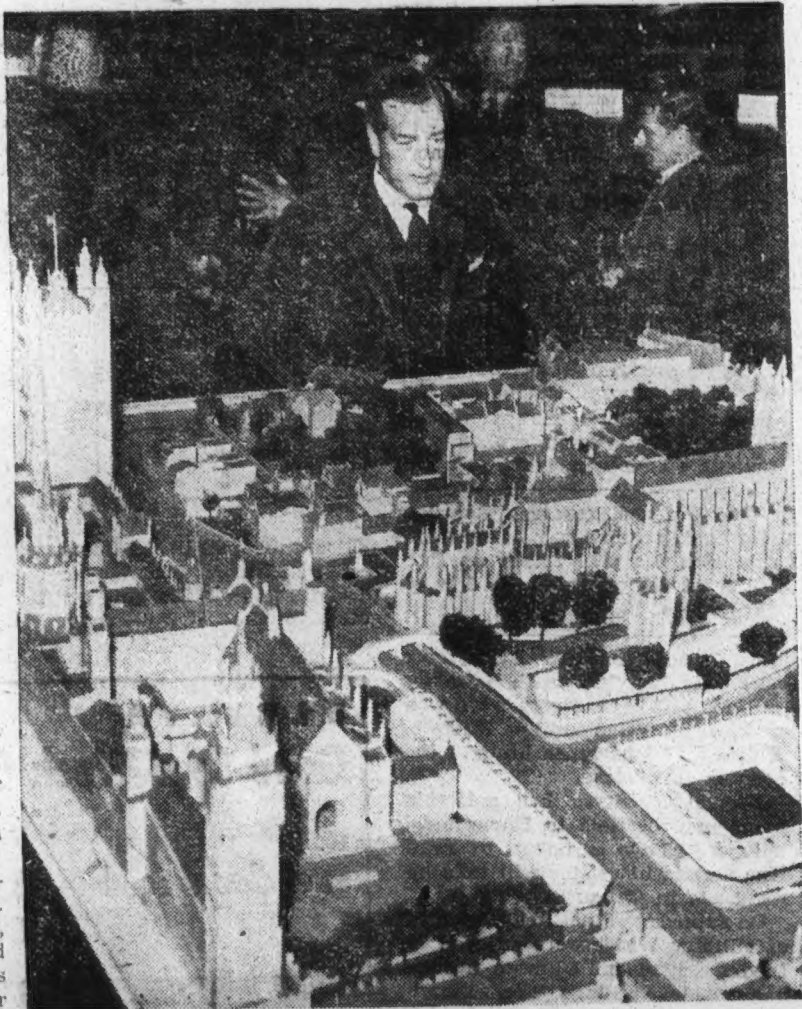
The Whist Drives held every second Tuesday night have been enjoyed by all attending.

Mr. Frances Byrt is busy these days building a cement basement under his house.

Deepest sympathy goes to the McArthur family in the death of Mrs. Roy McArthur's mother, Mrs. Eddie.

Mr. Foy Stone is home again after spending some time in the Colonel Belcher Hospital.

Coronation Rehearsed In Miniature



MR. DAVID ECCLES, British minister of works, checks over model of Westminster Abbey and discusses scheme of decoration for coronation route with members of the ministry of works. The ministry is responsible for planning the pageant. Every thoroughfare and building which will be used during the coronation has been faithfully reproduced in elaborate models which are used to assure proper timing and display of the coronation spectacle.

Skins Cream Off Edmonton Stock Show

CROSSFIELD.— Hume Porteous, whose name has, and still is making Hereford history, returned from the Edmonton Stock Show and Exhibition with many laurels from his three Hereford bulls.

Wyoming D.P. Lad No. 44 (D.P. standing for Dog Pound) won the Grand Champion over all. Standard D.P. Lad copped the Reserve Champion. These two bulls also stood first and second in respective order of merit, in their own class. The same bulls also won in the class "Group of Two, owned and bred by owner."

Dandy Domino No. 289, an older bull, came first in his class and stood third in runner-up for Championship.

The first two bulls and their mothers were raised by Mr. Porteous.

It is interesting to note that the sire of the first bull was the Saskatchewan Champion when Mr. Porteous brought him to Alberta and to the Dog Pound district where they now use the initials D.P. in their pedigrees. This sire was nursed through two bad attacks of pneumonia by Mr. Porteous, but is not in his possession now.

Wyoming D.P. Lad No. 44 was sold to George Bull, Midnapore, for \$3,800.00. Standard D.P. Lad was purchased by Livod Gylkison, La Glace, for the sum of \$2,100.00. Mr. Gylkison, incidentally, is a Master Farmer of that district.

Dandy Domino brought \$1,075.00 from Nicholas Babich, Plain Lake, Alberta.

The prizes will likely net around \$50,000.

Mr. Porteous is widely known in Western Canada for his inter-

Community Spirit Helps Red Cross

CROSSFIELD.— The New Davies School activities are going ahead like a house on fire and the school was used for a military whist and bingo party on Friday, March 27. There were 12 tables of whist and a great crowd played bingo. Prizes for the bingo were donated by a few Red Cross members and the proceeds from the party were turned over to the Red Cross. Mr. and Mrs. Casey and Mr. and Mrs. Budgeon who held one of the military forts, proved to be a good garrison, as they captured the first prize honors. The losers were Messrs. Rodgers, Fredell, Harnack and Heine.

A pretty doilie was won by Lucienne Stearns.

This social effort netted the Red Cross approximately \$60.00 and the conveners are to be commended on their splendid effort for a worthy cause.

Mountain View Health Unit No. 7

Clinics will be held at the following points in this district during APRIL:

Carstairs, United Church Hall, Tuesday 28th.

Cremona, Legion Hall, Tuesday 7th.

Crossfield, United Church Hall, Thursday 2nd.

Didsbury, Health Unit Office, Thursday 9th and 23rd.

Olds, Agricultural School, Friday 10th and 24th.

Sundre, W. I. Library, Tuesday 14th.

All clinics, 2 to 4 p.m.

ests in Herefords and his ability in raising exhibition cattle.

Quota Set For Red Cross

CROSSFIELD.— With a \$2,250 quota set for Crossfield and District Red Cross, canvassers are at work and following donations are already reported:

Frank W. Browne	\$ 5.00
Crossfield Co-op Ass'n	15.00
T. Bland	2.00
Edna Jensen	5.00
E. M. Tweedale	1.00
Henry McDonald	1.00
Frances Banta	1.00
Oliver Hotel	5.00
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Oliver Cafe	2.00
Jerry Steele	10.00
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H. R. Fitzpatrick	5.00
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Allan Sharp	3.00
F. T. Baker	10.00
Fred Collins	2.00
Wm. Nolan	.75
Wm. Laut	10.00
Mike Wellosky	.75
Tony Backs	1.00
Mrs. C. M. Banta	2.00
Mrs. Mary Onell	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Simon	
Cameron	5.00
Tom Reeve	2.00
B. F. Kiernan	5.00
E. Ferster	2.00
Jack Backs	1.00
Don Stevens	2.00
Frank Laut	10.00
Jim Wilson	2.00

Previously reported \$181.50

\$231.50

22 Members Attend 4-H Club Meet

CROSSFIELD.— The Crossfield 4-H Club held its regular meeting at the farm of Mr. Forsythe on March 21 under the supervision of Mr. H. McPhail, District Agriculturist, and Mr. J. Baxter, club leader.

Some 65 people, including 22 club members were present. Two choice groups of cattle were judged. Mr. H. McDonald gave final placings of each group. Mr. McDonald explained his placings very clearly to all. There was a short club meeting with President Berne McArthur presiding. A sale date was discussed and will be announced later. Reports were given by Larry Konshuh on "Verbal Control" and Mervin McArthur on "Feeding and Breeding Cows in Winter." A very delicious lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

The club wishes to express many thanks to the Forsythe family for their kind hospitality.

The next club meeting will be held on April 25 at the farm of Mr. Dan Konshuh.

Good Spirit Shown In Hockey Finals

CROSSFIELD.— The Crossfield hockey team showed itself to be the dark horse of the race. For the first time in several years they reached out of the basement. When the playoffs came they were considered only as a good warm-up team by the larger, faster Olds Hornets and they proved it by trouncing them 10 to 5. Returning to Crossfield home ice, the locals put up a stiff battle, winning 3-2. The series went back to Olds and it was three quick goals in the first period that told the tale as they beat Olds 4-3 to advance to the finals against Didsbury. Didsbury also scoffed at their smaller rivals, but found them no push-over, as Crossfield held them 4-4 on a wet playing surface. The series moved to neutral ice at Carstairs, where a stronger Didsbury team won by 7-5.

It was a week ago Friday in the evening that ended it all, Crossfield, needing a win desperately, put up a stiff opposition and skated off the ice at the end of the first period trailing 1-0. It was George Mumby who equalized the account in the second period. Raymond Kotow scored in the third to put Crossfield ahead 2-1 and sent the hopes of the fans pyramiding, only to crash dismally as Didsbury scored two quickies to advance 3-2, which ended the scoring, even though time after time valiant efforts by the local boys were met with a stone wall defence set up by Didsbury.

The game was hardly ended when plans were formulated for next year's conquest of the title. The boys gave Coach Ray Lea three rousing cheers for the help and time he donated to them. The boys will be honored with a supper in the Masonic Hall which will be declared "open house" at 8 p.m. for anyone wishing to attend.

Choral Society To Present Cantata

CROSSFIELD.— A reminder that Stainer's "The Crucifixion" by the Didsbury Choral Society is to be heard in the Crossfield United Church on Thursday, April 2, at 8 p.m. Prof. Richardson of Didsbury Bible School is in charge, and his love of good music and understanding of same is known to many. This will no doubt be the musical treat of the season for our town and we feel very privileged to offer it to you. A small silver collection will be taken and all will be put to the use of flood victims.

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BUTTER PROMOTION SUGGESTED AS MEANS TO FURTHER BUTTER SALES

EDMONTON — The National Dairy Council was told on Tuesday, that the industry should pay more attention to making butter popular. The suggestion came from R. V. Duffy of Calgary. "It is time the butter industry did considerably more in promoting its product," Mr. Duffy said. He suggested more advertising on milk wagons.

J. S. Turnbull, chairman of the butter discussion committee, told a questioner he didn't know why butter was not wrapped in foil, but suggested that it was a matter of cost.

Delegates said foil is an excellent wrapping, and that margarine competitors are selling their product at cheaper prices and still using a foil wrapping.

Some discussion took place on the merits of making butter the same color throughout Canada, and throughout every season of the year. The delegates generally agreed that the deeper yellow of "grass" produced butter would be acceptable.

R. C. Smellie of Winnipeg said that if margarine color bans continue in force, the prospect is good for continuing steady butter sales, "even with the price range we've got today."

He told of a survey of margarine and butter sales in the retail department of his Winnipeg firm. When margarine first appeared on the market, the firm's farm customers bought more margarine than butter, more so than most city customers.

But margarine sales over butter reached a peak a year ago, then started to drop. Now the firm has only two customers buying only margarine. Although farm customers still bought margarine, their butter production was higher.

Hockey Boys Honored At Turkey Dinner

CROSSFIELD — Parents of the local high school hockey team honored their boys with a delicious turkey banquet with all the trimmings on Friday, March 27, in the Masonic Hall, at 6 p.m.

The tables were attractively decorated and place cards assisted the guests with the seating for around forty people. The tables were in the form of a "T" with the honored boys at the head. Mr. Mumby, principal, was the M.C. Those commenting in appreciated short talks were Jim Baxter, Bud Kiernan, Mr. Mumby and Don Stevens. Billy Kiernan, hockey player, on behalf of the team, bespoke the pleasure of the boys in being privileged with the services of Coach Raymond Lee, and in concluding, presented Raymond with an initialed expansion bracelet as a token of their appreciation. Mrs. W. D. McCool, on behalf of the parents, was presented with an expansion bracelet. Both suitably responded.

Four films were shown. One especially appreciated was "1952 Grey Cup Finals" in color. The younger set then enjoyed a dance which ended the evening.

Crossfield News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. G. O'Neil returned home on Monday after spending a few months in California. Their trip was very interesting and they saw a lot of country as well as renewing acquaintances with old friends and relatives. A few days were spent at Vulcan on their return, when they visited with Mrs. O'Neil's sister and family, the Northcotts.

Mr. Vern Thompson, who has been hospitalized for the past few weeks, has arrived home in good spirits, but will be under medical care for a while.

The Airdrie Bridge Tournament got away to a good start on Tuesday, but there were not as many contestants as usual, due to flu, and previous other engagements so twelve tables only are in progress. Two tables are participating from Crossfield.

Mrs. Belshaw was hostess to the Afternoon Bridge Club members at her home on Wednesday. The high scores were won by Mesdames Casey and McDonald, and a nice lunch was served by the hostess at 4 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Borbridge were saddened by the death of a friend of long standing in the person of the late Mrs. Howeraff, who passed away last week, and who was their next door neighbor in Calgary for many years.

Mrs. Tommie Borbridge and girls together with her sister Mrs. Hazel Hoffman and girls have arrived home after spending a two weeks holiday at the coast where they visited friends and relatives. They spent some time visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dan Parsons, who lives at Kelowna in the Okanagan, and who own and operate a chain of tourist cabins. Mr. and Mrs. Parsons were former Alta. residents, living west of Crossfield.

Another fairly good well has been found near the curling rink, so our town is well assured of the Water and Sewage this year.

A 500 party was held at the home

Winners Announced In Fort Ladies' 'Spiel'

FORT SASKATCHEWAN — In spite of poor curling weather the Ladies' Curling Club of Fort Saskatchewan held a successful Bonspiel last week. Mrs. J. Thomlinson was defeated by Mrs. A. Ross of Vegreville in the finals of the Grand Challenge. The Merchants' Event was won by Mrs. A. Webb of Fort Saskatchewan from Mrs. J. Zaharko of Lamont with Mrs. Schultz of Bruderheim and Mrs. I. Strong of Fort Saskatchewan taking third and fourth spots respectively. In the Consolation competition Mrs. E. A. McGregor battled it out with Mrs. Scrabs with Mrs. Scrabs taking the honors. Mrs. McLuckie and Mrs. A. Shultz won third and fourth prizes in this event.

The Misfortune event was won by Mrs. H. Shackleton and the Hard Luck prize went to Mrs. Clark. The prize for the first 6 ender was won by Mrs. A. Webb.

On Saturday evening the Ladies had their annual banquet in the Brant Hotel and the promenade to the Dining Room evoked very favorable comment.

The Defence Research Board is developing a new type of synthetic rubber which will retain its flexibility at temperatures as low as 65 degrees Fahrenheit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Landymore on Friday, March 27, with six tables in play. The high scores were won by Florence Price and Les Walroth. A nice midnight lunch brought the evening to a close.

Hughie McIntyre has sold his home in Crossfield to Harry May, who will have a house to rent. Hughie and his sister will take up residence in Calgary.

On Saturday of last week, 8 tables of Military Whist were enjoyed in Davies School and 30 more friends had a whirl at Bingo. The winners at Whist were Dan Konshuh and son, Elsie Stewart and Neil Bennett. A nice midnight lunch was served.

Injured By Tractor Farmer Hospitalized

CROSSFIELD — Crossfield and district were shocked on Thursday last when they heard of the painful tractor injury sustained by George Jones, president of Crossfield Old-Timers and well-known farmer of the local East district. It appears that Geo. was endeavoring to change the pulley, whilst holding the clutch with an iron bar. The latter slipped, and the tractor immediately became in gear and ran over the lower portion of Mr. Jones' body. The tractor went through a ditch and came to rest in a field. An ambulance took the injured man to the General Hospital, where X-rays disclosed a pelvic fracture.

Local FWUA Plans Box Social

ST. ALBERT — The St. Albert Local FWUA No. 502 meeting was held on the evening of March 10 with thirteen members and one visitor present.

Arrangements were completed for the Box Social, Stunt Program and Whist to be held in the Community Hall on March 20. A collection was taken to aid the fund for delegates to the ACWW convention to be held at Toronto in August.

Cattle Man Cops Prizes

CROSSFIELD — Jack Harrison, Crossfield, spent all last week at the Edmonton Stock Show and Exhibition and returned with five prizes in the four classes in which he had made entries.

Mr. Harrison took 30 steers to the show, 15 blacks and 15 Herefords. He was delighted to have won first and a Championship in one class for Herefords; first in a group of five; second in a group of 15 blacks and fifth in a small group of five blacks.

Mr. Harrison, a lover of cattle and a good feeder, is to be congratulated on this remarkable exhibition, which has brought credit, not only to himself, but to our district.

Mrs. J. Fuhr was elected Secretary to succeed Mrs. J. Atkinson who is leaving the district shortly.

Mrs. Ted Atkinson gave a most interesting talk on the co-ops. The meeting concluded with a delightful lunch.

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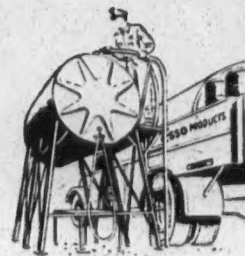
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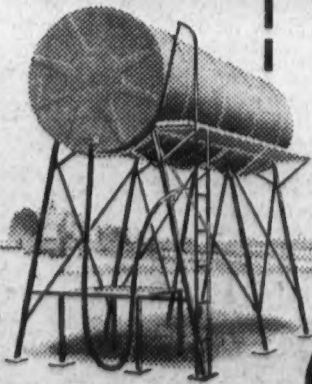
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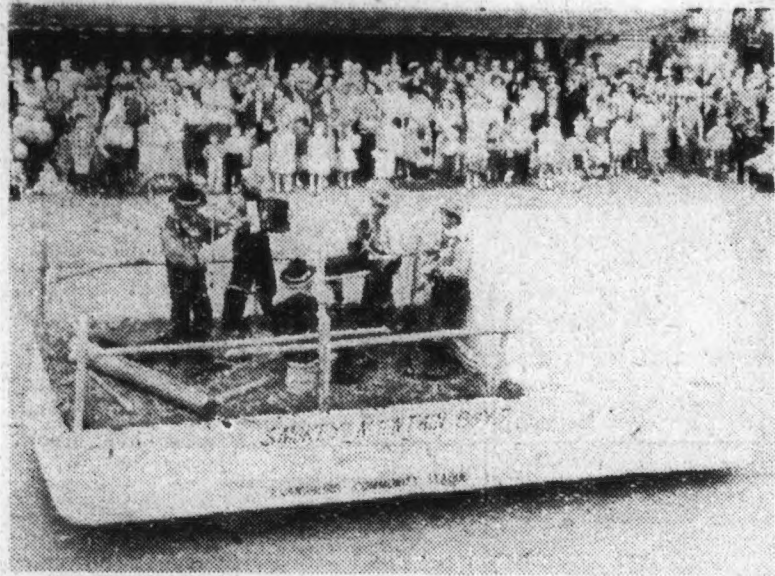
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FAR NORTH WHEAT YIELD SAID 50 BUSHELS TO ACRE

J. A. Gilbey, officer in charge of the federal agriculture department's experimental sub-station at Fort Simpson, Northwest Territories, says far north wheat yields of from 45 to 50 bushels an acre have been obtained on observation tests.

Fort Simpson is about 825 miles north of Edmonton.

Mr. Gilbey said horticultural crops hold a primary interest in work at the Fort Simpson station. The part played by vegetables in raising the standard of living in northern communities is realized, along with the need of building up scientific data.

Mr. Gilbey said experiments also have been made with forage crops and cereals. The station has a poultry flock and has made a start on hog raising.

The grain observation trials were made with wheat, oats and barley. The station comprises 85 acres, 50 of which are under cultivation.

Mr. Gilbey and his wife are sold on the possibilities of the north-land. Mrs. Gilbey was amazed when she first saw the lush wild strawberries and beautiful wild roses the land produced during its average of 86 frost-free days.

There is a pressing need for garden vegetables and potatoes, a need which the Gilbeys say will be

stronger when mineral discoveries bring development of the area and a bigger population.

Northern housekeeping has its advantages and disadvantages, Mrs. Gilbey said. Her sun porch makes a first-class home freezer in the winter and the house boasts the conveniences of indoor plumbing.

However, a year's shopping has to be done at one time, while the boats are running, and her bread is homemade since the kind that is for sale, baked by an old sourdough who stayed after gold-rush days, costs \$1 for three loaves.

Nine Applicants For County Status

Nine applications for formation of the county system of centralized municipal government, in addition to the four counties now in existence, are in the municipal affairs department's "active" file.

The department said that the nine are the municipal districts of Minburn, Argyle, Barons, Warner, Wainwright, Camrose, Pembina, Beaver and Eagle, and the Taber school division. Beaver is in the Ryley-Holden area, Eagle in the Two Hills district.

J. W. Judge, deputy minister of municipal affairs, said the Camrose municipal district also made application but later indicated it wants to withdraw.

An amendment to the County Act now before the legislation would remove any limitation on the number of counties which could be established in Alberta. The limit formerly was four and counties were set up at Grande Prairie, Vulcan, Ponoka and Newell.

If the amendment is approved, more counties can be established on Jan. 1 of any succeeding year.

Government Bond Issue Snapped Up

Hon. D. C. Abbott, finance minister, announced in Ottawa that a \$300,000,000 government bond issue was heavily over-subscribed within two hours after the books opened. Sale of the bonds started at 9 a.m. and the books were closed at 11 a.m. The bonds include two series. The first, totalling \$100,000,000 and bearing 2 per cent interest, will become due July 1, 1954. The second, totalling \$200,000,000 and bearing 2 1/4 per cent interest, will become due July 1, 1955.



Alberta Young Liberal Association Holds Annual Convention

RED DEER — Sixty-nine delegates from all parts of the Province gathered in Red Deer Saturday, March 7th, for the annual convention of the Alberta Young Liberal Association. Miss Una MacLean of Calgary was elected President. The day-long convention, held in the Buffalo Hotel, saw changes made in the constitution, a series of resolutions adopted, and a new slate of officers elected.

The new President also holds the offices of Vice-President of the Calgary Young Liberal Association, Publicity Convener for the Alberta Women's Association, and Secretary of the southern branch of the Alberta Liberal Association. Miss MacLean was born in Sunnynook, Alberta, and is the daughter of Mr. A. MacLean, formerly of Sunnynook, and now of Calgary. and the late Mrs. A. MacLean. She was educated in Sunnynook, Calgary and the University of Manitoba.

The four vice-presidents elected were Bill Jones of McLennan, Bob Low of Cardston, Mike Power of Edmonton, and Don Kennedy of Calgary. Miss Alene MacLean of Calgary was elected secretary, Miss Connie Oel of Calgary recording secretary, and Wm. Egbert, also of Calgary, treasurer.

J. L. R. Robinson of Red Deer, heads the resolutions committee; Mrs. Con Loree, Nanton is chairman of the organization committee, and John Boras of Calgary is publicity chairman, and Mel Shannon of Calgary is chairman of the finance committee.

Resolutions dealing with such varied subjects as highways, and the St. Lawrence seaway were adopted. This resolution urges that work on the project be proceeded with at once.

Another resolution asks the federal government to lower tariffs on farm machinery, while another recommends that the sales tax on automobiles and trucks be removed or reduced. It was pointed out that 80 per cent of motor vehicles on the highways are used for industrial or farming purposes, and thus could not be properly classed as a luxury.

The Alberta government was asked to employ foresight in the construction of highways, making them more durable, and eliminating the hazzards Social Crediters were also urged to get more out of the highway dollar by lowering the 100 per cent bond required of highway contractors. It was felt that the reduction of the 100 per cent bond would enable more contractors to enter bids.

An exemption of \$400 for income tax purposes for those who have families but do not apply for family allowances was also asked.

Opposition was voiced to the recent proposals by the Alberta premier to extend the boundaries of the province northward to include parts of the Northwest Territories. The federal government, the resolution said, was presently spending large sums to provide transportation, communication and power. Such added expenditures if taken over by the Alberta Government would impose a further burden through taxes on the people of Alberta, and it was urged that any such monies being

contemplated for this purpose could be used to a far better advantage to alleviate the serious financial plight of the debt laden municipalities of the province.

Guest speaker at the evening banquet, J. Q. Starritt of Brooks, urged a greater participation in politics by young people. "It is up to us," he said, to continue the good government which had been provided Canada by the Liberal party. Mr. Starritt is mayor of the town of Brooks, past president of the Alberta Young Liberal Association, and president of the Bow Valley - Empress Liberal Association.

Will J. Edgar, president of the Alberta Liberal Association, in addressing the convention, said the record of the Liberal party was one of which all Canada should be proud. The young people of this province and at this convention should realize this, he said, and should make their voices heard in letting their convictions be known.

Messages were read by retiring President R. G. E. Armstrong from Prime Minister Louis St. Laurent, Honorable George Prudham, Minister of Mines and Technical Surveys, Liberal Leader J. Harper Prowse, George Urquhart, vice-president of the National Young Liberal Federation, and Mary Scullion, executive secretary of the Young Liberal Federation.

The convention decided to hold a regional summer school this summer in conjunction with one or both of our neighboring provinces. A report to have been given by J. Harper Prowse was read by J. P. Connors, provincial organizer. Also attending the convention were Mrs. O. T. Dean of Calgary, president of the Alberta Liberal Women's Association, and Douglas Graber, president of the Saskatchewan Young Liberal Association.

Farm Radio Program Starts This Week

EDMONTON — The agriculture department announced last week that its farm service radio program, "The Call of the Land", would start April 1. The 10-minute program will be broadcast five days weekly from Edmonton, Calgary, Red Deer and Medicine Hat.

The program will cost an estimated \$50,000 in the coming year. The department is reported considering its extension later to Lethbridge and Grande Prairie.

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While playing the part of a ten year old girl in our school Christmas play, the part called for a fight between myself and other players. Imagine my embarrassment when my shirt was torn open inadvertently — revealing every stitch of lingerie. It didn't help my feelings much when the audience roared with approval.

Jean, Clyde

Carrying our baby, and with my husband in tow, we took in the evening show. The night was hot, the theatre crowded and we couldn't find seats together. After holding the baby in my arms throughout the program I rushed over to my husband, dressed in a plaid jacket, and tired out and crusty said "Here, take this baby, it's yours just as much as it's mine, you know". Did I ever feel embarrassed when I discovered this man in the plaid jacket wasn't my husband, and his wife standing with him seemed just as surprised!

E.L.T., Lac La Pêche

Retail Sales Rose To New High in '52

OTTAWA—Canadian retail stores did a record business in 1952, with sales soaring to an all-time high of \$11,303,000,000, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported today.

All provinces and all trades—except meats—participated in the \$800,000,000 rise from \$10,517,000,000 in 1951, the bureau said.

Both independent stores and chain establishments boosted their dollar business with sales of independent stores rising to \$9,412,000,000 from \$8,806,000,000 and chain stores to \$1,990,000,000 from \$1,711,000,000.

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EDITORIALS

What Do You Think?

What is your reaction when you are asked to contribute your share to the 1953 Cancer Crusade of the Canadian Cancer Society?

Do you say: "Another appeal on top of all the endless appeals of this past year?"

Or do you think of Bill Jones or Mary Smith in your neighborhood who is living today because of the phenomenal advances in surgery, in research, in medicine, made possible by the dollars you have given to this great cause?

Or do you recall the seven danger signals which the Canadian Cancer Society has been urging you to memorize throughout the years and realize that this knowledge may be responsible for the saving of your life or the life of someone dear to you?

Not only in the raising of money alone—certainly needed now more than ever—but in the opportunity it affords to alert you and yours to the challenge of cancer and the possibilities of licking it, is Cancer Control Month worthwhile.

Think of the part you can play in this fight. Write a generous check for the Canadian Cancer Society and help fight cancer.

The Royal Farms

The royal farms at Windsor, covering 650 acres of former parkland, are being streamlined in accord with current emphasis on more food at lower cost.

A new feature is a herd of attested Ayrshire cows, yielding 150 gallons of milk daily. There is also a herd of 40 pedigree attested Jersey cattle.

All cattle on the royal farms have been dehorned. As calves are born, their horn buds are treated painlessly to arrest development.

One reason for dehorning is the practice of turning cattle into straw yards at night to ensure that milk maintains a high standard of purity. Advocates of dehorning have been encouraged by the royal example. Some cattle breeding societies have announced that absence of horns will not prejudice show chances.

The Windsor farms also house 1,000 Sussex Rhode cross poultry, kept in covered yards with night lighting to aid egg production in winter. Average yield in the last four months has been 60 per cent.

Food produced goes to royal residences. The surplus is sold commercially.

A Stubborn Man

It seems that the gentleman knew what he wanted: he wanted a ride in a ship across the seas back to his old home. He advertised for it to the limit of his ability and got the ride. Firm? Robinson Crusoe, not inc.

The first ad cost him his shirt for he hung it up on a pole, stuck it on the top of his island, and let the wind flap it.

He changed his copy as one garment after another frayed out, pants, undershirt, old bedding, then anything that would flap and wave. A persistent, stubborn cuss, an advertising man, I guess.

Circulation was slender as could be. Readers were busy elsewhere. But R. C. not inc. knew advertising, and he kept his signals flying. He knew they'd know and understand and believe if they ever did read his ad.

And then one day they did see it, read his ad, landed and brought old Crusoe back to civilization and an eternal reading of his adventures with Friday. But, listen, just suppose he'd said: "Advertisin's no good," after he had lost his pants! Gosh!

—Taken from the Advertiser's Digest.

Bible Today

I will offer to thee the sacrifice of Thanksgiving, and will call upon the name of the Lord.

The "Christ" In "Christian"

By T. W. PUE

As we approach Good Friday, Easter and the end of the Lenten Season, it is a good idea to reflect on our personal status in the Christian faith.

Nominally accepting the Christian way of life, some self-styled intellectuals reject acceptance of the Person of Jesus Christ. Somehow or other, they would like to expel Christ, the founder, from the Christian Church.

As a matter of historical fact, the Church was called Christian after Christ, and Jesus was called Christ as the "anointed one" of God Almighty. Still, these "intellectuals" say that Jesus was a mere man, wise and good, but nothing more.



T. W. PUE

Some of them acknowledged that he was a great teacher and rank him with Buddha, Mohammed, Confucius and Moses. A few even claim that no such Person as Jesus Christ ever lived, and that the entire structure called Christianity is founded upon a myth.

While refusing to believe the Scriptures to be of divine origin, some of these educated people embrace Christianity because they feel that its mortal laws are good for society.

"The service of the Christian religion," declared one of these doubters, "and my own faith in essential Christianity, would not be diminished one iota if it should in some way be discovered that no such individual as Jesus ever lived." They are, in other words, willing to accept Christ's religion—but not Christ Himself.

It is ridiculous, of course, to suggest that the Christian faith is the religion of the ignorant. For millions of educated people . . . and many of the world's most distinguished scholars, philosophers and scientists . . . have been devout Christians. But discounting this fact, there is abundant evidence to support the Christian teaching concerning Jesus.

It is to be found in the Four Gospels, in which the real Jesus is revealed to us. "But," argue some educated unbelievers, "you are assuming that the Four Gospels are an authentic recording of the life and teaching of Jesus Christ. We refuse to believe this."

The "intellectuals" are, of course, being anything but intellectual in taking this position. For there is more abundant proof of the genuineness of the Gospels than there is to support other historical records which scholars accept without question. References to and quotations from the Four Gospels date back as far as the first century of the Christian era . . . are found in writings contemporary with the Apostles and the first Christians.

Grain Handlers' Strike

At the end of March, the strike of 250 terminal elevator employees at Vancouver had gone six weeks. A representative of the federal department of labor had failed to reach a settlement satisfactory to both sides.

The terminal employees have been under the impression that farmers are favoring their side. Such is not the case in Alberta at least. Farmers in this province realize that the cost-of-living has gone down 7 points this past year while the cost of goods and services they have to buy is on the increase.

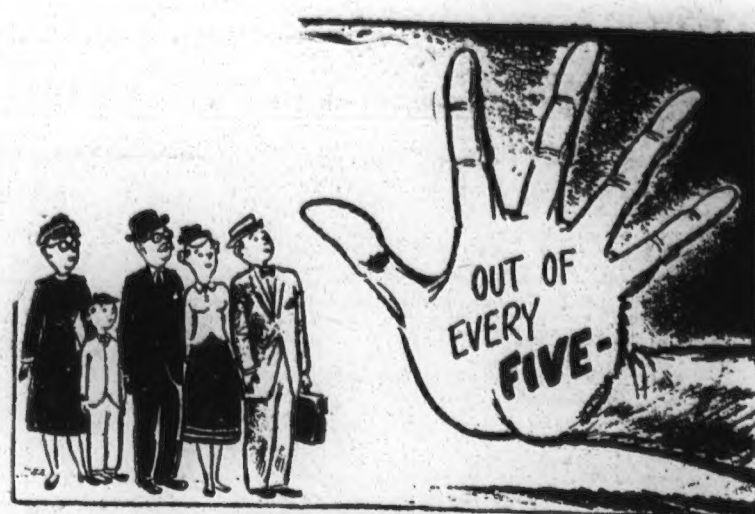
The Economic Annalist, published by the federal department of agriculture, notes that between January, 1952, and September of the same year there was a decline in farm prices of 34.4 points. The decline in the prices of animal products was 49.1 points and field products 26.1 points.

In the same period the cost of the commodities and services used by farmers rose 6.8 points.

Early Lake Opening Predicted

Predictions are being made that the shipping season on the Great Lakes will open much earlier than usual this year. Ice along the shores of Lake Superior and in the harbors of Fort William and Port Arthur is much thinner than normal and the lower lakes are almost free of ice and are navigable at the present time. Ice breaking operations should be well underway this week to permit shipping. Last year the first sailing from Port Arthur was April 4, and the year before it was on April 11. Average for the past 15 years has been April 11.

With the strike on at the Coast, grain has been pouring into the lakehead terminals and by the opening date they should be filled to capacity. In February stocks in store totalled about a million bushels more than at the same time last year.



GIVE TO THE CANCER CRUSADE!

Voice of the People

FOR CHILDREN'S SAKE

The Board of Directors of the Edmonton Home for Ex-service-men's Children, wish to thank you for the manner in which you wrote up the story of the Home and its work in your paper.

FL/O Beasleigh of the R.C.A.F. Edmonton Station, contacted the Home recently, and it was through his effort that the material was sent to you, and we thank you for the prominence you gave the story, in your paper.

We thought it may interest you to know that a fifteen year old boy who was in residence in our Home from October 1952, until January 1953, while visiting at St. Albert saw the story and writes as follows:

Dear Mrs. Peterson:
While visiting over the weekend at St. Albert, I read the St. Albert Gazette, and I saw the article about the Home for Ex-service-men's Children. I was very glad to see that you got some of your well deserved praise, and also that someone else thinks of the Home. It made me realize that the title "Home" really applies to your place.

Yours Truly,

Joe LaRose

Needless to say, we were awfully proud of this boy's letter, and it makes us feel that it has really been worth while, because when a young boy like that writes in, on his own initiative, one knows it comes right from the heart.

Again thanking you I remain
Sincerely yours,

J. E. Peterson

CALLS PROSPERITY FALSE

Government economists are advising businessmen that they need have no economic qualms for 1953. They say defence spending to continue rising. We know the present unsettled conditions throughout the world make it necessary to prepare for war, but it ought to be self-evident to these same businessmen that this kind of industrial activity does not add to the wealth of the nation. We have turned from an economy of peace to an economy of war, and the handwriting on the wall spells economic collapse.

KILL THE COYOTE

All this talk about coyotes to kill mice and gophers. So what!

Some years ago coyote pelts were in demand and a lot of trappers, experienced and otherwise, were out to trap all they could for profit. Coyotes were scarce but the rodent population was not above normal.

In 1951 coyote pelts were worthless and with no trapping done they increased at an alarming rate—and so incidentally, did the mice population.

It is obvious that the mouse population is not influenced by the coyotes but increases and decreases in an independent cycle.

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My mother thinks this is a mistake as she says if a wife starts working, her husband expects her to keep on.

What do you think?

Twenty.

Answer:

I see no reason why you should not work until you start a family and, particularly so, if it means a lot of things for your home that both you and your husband would like to have.

LOUISA

Dear Louisa,

I want to buy a washing machine and have enough for a down payment, but my husband always likes to pay cash for everything he gets.

We can meet the monthly payments and I have two small children and do my own work.

Don't you think he could break his rule this once?

Mother.

Answer:

I think it would probably pay him in the long run to break this

rule this time, for if you do all your work and the laundry for your family, you certainly need anything that will make it easier for you. Sometimes doctor bills for over-worked mothers amount to more than the price of a mechanical household aid.

Louisa.

Exports Increase Of Coarse Grains

OTTAWA — Canada's exports of coarse grains jumped 61 per cent in the first half of 1952-53 compared with the first half of 1951-52, the Bureau of Statistics reported today.

Barley shipments hit a new high, climbing to 65,400,000 bushels in the August 1952-January 1953 period, double the 33,400,000 bushels in the similar period of 1951-52.

Exports of oats increased to 33,200,000 bushels from 27,900,000; rye, to 33,200,000 from 27,900,000; flaxseed to 2,500,000 from 1,500,000.

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- 1 drop maple flavoring
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Sift flour, cinnamon, soda and salt. Mix sugar, shortening and egg. Beat well. Add remaining ingredients. Knead on board a few minutes, then make into a roll and chill in the refrigerator until firm. Cut in 1/4 inch slices and bake on an oiled cookie sheet, 1 inch apart. Temperature 375 degrees F.

Because her Favorite Recipe was chosen this week, Mariann Litzenberger of Stony Plain has received a check for \$1.00. If you have a Favorite Recipe you'd like to share with our readers, address it to P.O. Box 4430, South Edmonton.

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Mrs. James Verbeek.
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It was Mary's first day at school and she sat patiently in her new desk awaiting her turn to answer the teacher's questions. Finally, the teacher turned to her and said, "And now Mary, how old are you?"

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Confused Youngsters

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One little boy was heard to pray, "Harold be Thy name." Another begged, "Give us this day our jelly bread." A New York child petitioned, "Lead us not into Penn station."

Brainy Gal

"Is my girl friend clever? She's got brains enough for two."

"Then she's just the girl you ought to marry."

Of Course

"I tell you, old friends are best."

"That's right! Just try to think of a new friend that has stood by you as long as the old ones?"

Good If He Can Do It

A tough drill sergeant ordered every man in the squad to hold his left leg straight out in front of him. By mistake, one rookie held up his right leg, which brought it out to his neighbor's left leg.

"Okay," shouted the hard-boiled sergeant, "who's the wise guy holding up both legs?"

Boys and Gals

The old man neglected to assist his wife out of the street car.

"John," she said, "you are not so gallant as when you were a boy."

"No," he replied, "and you're not so buoyant as when you were a girl, either."

A Considerate Debtor

"That man with the bill is here again, sir."

"Tell him—ah—tell him I've gone to the funeral of a rich relative from whom I expect to receive a lot of money. The poor devil has been here so many times I feel I ought to say something encouraging."

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Tommy: "Well, I just looked under my bed and there's somebody there, either comin' or goin'."

Absolutely Right

Two children were talking. "Know how to tell a lady worm from a gentleman worm?" one asked.

"Oh, sure," said the other. "You've heard that a worm turns. Well, if it turns without putting out its hand, it's a lady worm."

Diet Of Wood And Metal Is Fatal To Ostrich

This is the obituary of Jumbo, a 250-pound ostrich that came to the Edmonton zoo in August, 1949, and started on his way surely and steadily to death in the traditional manner of zoo ostriches.

Zoologists and veterinarians aware of the eating habits of ostriches, weren't surprised at what the post-mortem examination of Jumbo revealed.

One by one of the contents of the feathered glutton's gizzard were lined up. The final count: 5 pennies, one dime, five keys, several odd-shaped pieces of wood, numerous bits of scrap metal and a large table-spoon.

The spoon was responsible for the internal haemorrhage that delivered the death blow. That was the verdict of Dr. C. H. Bigland of the provincial poultry diseases division, who presided over the post-mortem, and Dr. William Rowan, head of the University of Alberta's zoology department, who has sat in on ostrich autopsies before.

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Colchester Seniors
League Champions

COLCHESTER—Last Thursday
was an eventful day in the lives of
most of the senior pupils of Col-
chester School. Along with a num-
ber of interested parents they
motored to the Edmonton Gardens
for the semi-final of their school
hockey league.

In this game they met and de-
feated Braemar, the only goal of
the game being scored by Dennis
Kadatz.

Having won this game they met
King George Park in a sudden
death league final. With but an
hour's rest between games this
looked like a big undertaking, but
with the "never say die" spirit,
they battled for five minutes be-
fore Elburn Ottewill scored the
first goal for King George Park.
That ended the scoring for that
period.

Early in the second period the
tying goal was scored by Crosby
Quillum. A few minutes later
Gerald Martin made the score 2-1.
The period ended that way.

In the third period goals were
scored by Bud Retz and Gerald
Martin to end the game 4-1 with the
league championship going to Col-
chester.

Falls Down Stairs
Fractures Ankle

BON ACCORD—Mrs. Teras
Ferby had the misfortune of frac-
turing an ankle in a fall down
the basement stairs of her home
Thursday. X-rays in an Edmonton
hospital proved it was fractured.
Mrs. Ferby's foot and leg are in a
cast. She and the two kiddies
will be staying with her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kowalski in
Edmonton for some time.

Egremont Amateur
Night Proves
Successful

EGREMONT—On March 14,
the Egremont Ladies' Auxiliary
sponsored an Amateur Night.
Prizes were given to Junior
class, first, Clare Bell; second,
Norma Ankel; third, Diana Tym-
ko; fourth, Sylvia Lukasevich;
fifth, Henia Hawrylenko; all of
Egremont. In the Senior class:
first, The Cowgirl Group; Half
Moon, Sonia Wakoruk, Marion
Kostiuk, Rossie Zelinski, Annette
Orshulak; second, Joyce Cholew-
ski; third, Orest Kaban, Philip
Stachniak; fourth, Radway High
School, instrumental quartette.

The master of ceremonies was
Thomas Petrie. The judges were:
Mr. Goresky, Mr. S. Royko, Mr.
John Hawrelko.

Proceeds were for the Red
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CANADIAN BUTTER SUPPLIES APPEAR TO BE AMPLE

EDMONTON—"One thing should be made crystal clear to Britain, and that is if she is going to need Canadian cheese, her wants must be declared in the spring and not after the production season has been completed," Gilbert McMillan, President of Dairy Farmers of Canada, told the opening session of the National Dairy Council of Canada annual meeting here recently.

Mr. McMillan stated that "The future market for Canadian cheese in Britain is problematical, and she should neither expect us to wreck our own domestic market by making cheese she will not take, or to strip our own market to supply her later on."

Concerning butter, he stated that, "It does not appear that the butter market is going to cause any immediate difficulty. There will be enough to ensure no shortage of supply."

Referring to Government Price Support Policy Mr. McMillan stated, "If the Dairy Industry needs some price support to ensure that we will not run short of dairy products, where should it be applied? The relationship between all milk products is close enough that what affects one affects them all. Due to the fact that such a large percentage of our milk still goes into butter, I think it is the logical product to support. It has been suggested that it should be applied to skim milk powder due to the fact that this product does not command a price in keeping with its actual value as a food. However, unless this was applied in the form of a subsidy (which nobody likes) I do not see how it could be worked out."

Replying to criticisms of milk prices Mr. McMillan said, "We make the claim and can produce figures to prove it, that in relation to wages milk is cheaper today than at any period for thirty years. Yet the fact remains that many of our low income groups with large families cannot purchase all the milk they should have at prevailing prices. Whole milk is subject to more controls and regulations than any other food product, and is so regulated that there is no separate standard of quality or price between that used by the rich and the poor—something that does not prevail with almost anything else that is considered one of the necessities of life. The production, processing and distributing of whole milk is one of the most exacting jobs which exists, entailing longer hours of labour than almost any other line of business. There are also many misunderstandings regarding it. Facts will prove that considering the investment, the overhead and wages he cannot escape from, and the worries and losses of handling a perishable product, the milk distributor is possibly getting less returns than he could expect from nearly any other form of business."

Emphasizing the economic importance of the Dairy Industry he pointed out that "The value of the milk produced annually in Canada, when sold as whole milk, or processed and delivered to Canadian customers in the various forms in which it is consumed, has a value of over \$750,000,000.00. In the production, processing and distributing of these dairy foods they have furnished the main source of income for over 475,000 families. In addition to this, think of the people employed as hired help on dairy farms and the hundreds of thousands of employees making the machinery equipment and supplies used on the dairy farms and in the manufacturing and distributing plants, representing a total of about one-sixth of our population, and we begin to get some idea of what the Dairy Industry really means to Canada. The average housewife spends about 20 cents of every dollar of her food budget for milk or milk products. From this 20 per cent of her food budget she provides her family with about one-third of all

the nutrients in the family diet."

With respect to future production and efforts to reduce costs Mr. McMillan stated, "The greatest handicap to any expansion of the Dairy Industry is that of the prevailing short hours of labour in industry and which does not fit in with successful milk production. I don't know how this problem is going to be solved unless there are prospects of better monetary returns for the extra hours of labour entailed, or that there are definite indications of more stability for the future. There are at the moment two rather revolutionary changes under way in the production field which may lower costs. One is the new method of stabling cows, known as loafing barns where they run loose. This may be a partial answer to the labour problem, but the effects of this innovation will only be gradual. Modern dairy barns are not easily adapted to this changed method of stabling, and men with good buildings will be reluctant to spend the money necessary to make the change until at least more is known of how much the saving in labour costs will be. The other is the introduction of grass silage and pasture improvement and both are being put into operation on an increasing scale clear across Canada. We think there are definite indications that production costs can be lowered by taking full advantage of these new methods. We may be able to get at least as much milk without feeding as much grain and high protein feeds whose prices at present are clear out of line with milk prices."

Crossfield H.S.A. Hold Interesting Meeting

CROSSFIELD — On Wednesday, March 18, the Crossfield Home and School members met in the Crossfield school at 8:00 p.m. with Mrs. Eva Banta presiding and Mrs. O. C. Harder recording the minutes. The business portion of the meeting was dealt with in the usual manner.

Mrs. H. T. Robertson, Calgary, Superintendent of Home and School "Work Shop" Committee for Alberta, was the guest speaker and her topic, "Discussion Technique," was thoroughly enjoyed and very constructive. After completing her talk, Mrs. Robertson drove her points home by organizing several groups to participate in a "buzz session" with suitable leaders for each section. The topic she presented to them was "Do You Think The Department of Education should supply all the high school text books?" The recorder for each group gave results in seven minutes and many interesting points were illustrated with the sessions ending four in favor and one against. Everyone enjoyed the buzz period and felt that many questions could be handled successfully using the Technique system as voiced by Mrs. Robertson.

It was decided at this meeting to arrange for an exhibition of art as supplied by the Alberta Visual Arts Board, which functions under the Provincial Cultural Development Act, with the co-operation of many artists working independently in all parts of the province. The date set was Wednesday and Thursday afternoons and evenings of March 17 and 18.

A social hour with a tempting lunch was enjoyed.

Lay Off One Hundred and Fifty In Alberta Due To Elevator Strike

EDMONTON — A Canadian National Railways spokesman said Wednesday that 150 trainmen have been laid off in Alberta as a result of the month-long strike of grain handlers at five Vancouver and New Westminster terminal elevators.

He said the lay-offs were inevitable because practically all shipments of export grain to the west coast have been stalled by the walkout, and more train crews may have to be laid off later this week.

CPR officials said that so far they have not had to lay off any workers, but if the tie-up continues much longer it will "seriously affect" the movement of the spring wheat crop.

Ordinarily the CNR moves

about 175 boxcars of grain daily to the Pacific coast through Edmonton. The announcement by the Canadian wheat board that grain can be shipped to Prince Rupert, B.C., means about 25 boxcars will move westward through the city daily.

The aircraft carrier HMCS Magnificent has travelled far since her commissioning in April, 1948. Training cruises have taken her to the sub-Arctic and the Caribbean, to Europe several times, and twice to the Mediterranean.



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You can't insure the \$2,400 car of today as cheaply as the \$850 car of 1939.
- So, in dollars, how much have auto rates gone up?
An average of 30% for Public Liability and Property Damage. An average of 60% for full coverage.

WHAT affects the cost of automobile insurance?

- The number of accidents
- The average cost of accidents
- The costs of doing business
- The profit or loss of the insurance company

WHY have rates gone up in dollar cost?

- Because accident rates have been soaring.
Today one person is killed every four hours in Canada — one person is injured every fifteen minutes — a fender is smashed every two minutes.

- Because accident costs have been soaring.
A wrecked car costs two to three times as much to replace as in 1939 — a damaged car costs twice as much to repair — those fenders every two minutes cost three times as much.
- Because medical and hospital costs have increased an estimated 165%.
The bill for injuries is the highest in history.
- Because average Canadian earning power is up 150%.
That means higher payments to settle "lost time" claims.

THEN HOW have insurance companies kept rates from going much higher?

- By cutting operating costs.
Overhead is higher but operating costs per vehicle have been slashed.
- By losing money.
Auto insurance companies paid out \$65,000,000 in claims last year. They lost \$6,300,000 doing it.

THE REMEDY

- Reduce accidents.
When the accident rate goes down — unless the cost of each accident goes way up — insurance rates will go down too. Competition makes that certain.

REMEMBER —

The accident that doesn't happen never costs anybody a dime.



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